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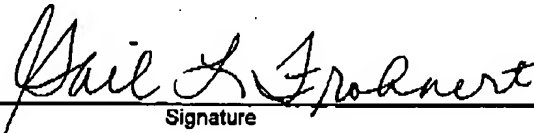
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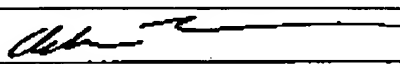
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In response to the action dated October 17, 2006, reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims in light of the remarks presented herein are respectfully requested.

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